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## **Governor Kathleen Sebelius Names Corrections Secretary**

Governor Kathleen Sebelius is pleased to announce Roger Werholtz as her Secretary of Corrections. Most recently, Werholtz served as Corrections' Acting Secretary under Governor Bill Graves.

Governor Sebelius says, "Secretary Werholtz has more than 20 years of experience the Department of Corrections. During his public service he has personally gained experience in each of the three areas under the corrections umbrella. He has supervised the Facilities Management Division, the Programs and Staff Development Division, and the Community and Field Services Division.

I am sure that Roger will continue working to make certain that the Corrections Department remains progressive, meeting the goals of public safety, restorative justice and offender rehabilitation.

With more than 20 years experience in the Corrections Field and the respect he has earned in the Corrections Department, I believe Roger will do a terrific job."

Werholtz was named Acting Secretary of Corrections in September 2002. He is 53 years old and lives in Lawrence, KS.